

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

PRUDENTIAL EQUITY Plaintiff,  
 GROUP, LLC,

- against -

THOMAS R. AJAMIE, et Defendant.  
 al.,

7 cv 5606 (JSR)

**MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL**

**PRO HAC VICE**

PURSUANT TO RULE 1.3(c) of the Local Rules of the United States District Courts for the

Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, I, Eric J. Grannis a member in good standing of  
 the bar of this Court, hereby move for an Order allowing the admission pro hac vice of

Applicant's Name: Dona Szak

Firm Name: Ajamie LLP

Address: Pennzoil Place - South Tower

City/State/Zip: Houston, Texas 77002

Phone Number: (713) 860-1614

Fax Number: (713) 860-1699

Dona Szak  
 Texas

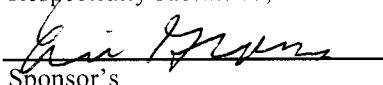
is a member in good standing of the Bar of the States of

There are no pending disciplinary proceeding against Dona Szak  
 in any State or Federal court.

Dated: December 12, 2007

City, State: New York, New York

Respectfully submitted,

  
 Sponsor's  
 SDNY Bar EG 8403

Firm Name: Law Offices of Eric J. Grannis

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City/State/Zip: New York, New York 10020

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PRUDENTIAL EQUITY GROUP, LLC,

Plaintiff,

No. 07-CV-5606 (JSR)

V.

THOMAS R. AJAMIE, AJAMIE LLP, ROBERT WEISS, ROBERT H. WEISS & ASSOCIATES, LLP, JOHN MOSCOW, ROSNER NAPIERALA LLP, BRIAN ROSNER, DAVID ROBBINS, KAUFMANN FEINDER YAMIN GILDIN & ROBBINS, LLP, WALLACE SHOWMAN, BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP, ROBERT KRAUS, KRAUS & ZUCHLEWSKI LLP, MARTIN KROLL, KROLL, MOSS & KROLL LLP, JOHN DOES 1-25, AND ABC CORPORATIONS 1-25,

## Defendants.

**DECLARATION OF ERIC  
GRANNIS IN SUPPORT OF  
MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL  
PRO HAC VICE**

State of New York )  
 )  
 County of New York )

Eric Grannis, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says as follows:

1. I am counsel for Defendants Thomas R. Ajamie and Ajamie LLP, (collectively “The Ajamie Defendants”) in the above captioned action. I am familiar with the proceedings in this case. I make this statement based on my personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and in support of The Ajamie Defendants’ motion to admit Dona Szak as counsel pro hac vice to represent The Ajamie Defendants in this matter.

2. I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of New York and

was admitted to practice law in 1995. I am also admitted to the bar of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, and am in good standing with this Court.

3. Ms. Szak is a partner at Ajamie LLP in Houston, Texas.

4. I have found Ms. Szak to be a skilled attorney and a person of integrity.

She is experienced in Federal practice and is familiar with the Federal Rules of Procedure.

5. Accordingly, I am pleased to move the admission of Ms. Szak, pro hac vice.

6. I respectfully submit a proposed order granting the admission of Dona Szak, pro hac vice, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

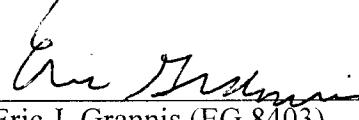
7. I respectfully submit a certificate of good standing for Dona Szak, which is hereto attached as Exhibit B.

WHEREFORE it is respectfully requested that the motion to admit Dona Szak, pro hac vice, to represent The Ajamie Defendants in the above captioned matter, be granted.

Dated: New York, New York  
December 12, 2007

LAW OFFICES OF ERIC J. GRANNIS

By:



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Eric J. Grannis (EG 8403)

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New York, New York 10020  
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*Attorneys for Defendants Thomas R. Ajamie  
and Ajamie LLP*

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**ORDER FOR ADMISSION  
 PRO HAC VICE  
 ON WRITTEN MOTION**

Upon the motion of Eric J. Grannis attorney for Thomas R. Ajamie and Ajamie LLP and said sponsor attorney's affidavit in support;

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that

Applicant's Name: Dona Szak

Firm Name: Ajamie LLP

Address: Pennzoil Place - South Tower

City/State/Zip: Houston, Texas 77002

Telephone/Fax: (713) 860-1614

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is admitted to practice pro hac vice as counsel for Thomas R. Ajamie and Ajamie LLP in the above captioned case in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. If this action is assigned to the Electronic Case Filing (ECF) system, counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at [nysd.uscourts.gov](http://nysd.uscourts.gov). Counsel shall forward the pro hac vice fee to the Clerk of Court.

Dated:  
 City, State: New York, New York

United States District/Magistrate Judge

# STATE BAR OF TEXAS



Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel

December 4, 2007

Re: Dona Szak, State Bar Number 19597500

To Whom It May Concern:

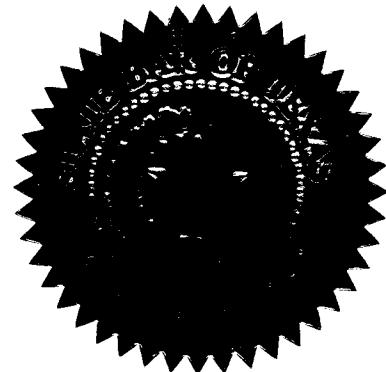
This is to certify that Ms. Dona Szak was licensed to practice law in Texas on November 2, 1984, and is an active member in good standing with the State Bar of Texas. "Good standing" means that the attorney is current on payment of Bar dues and attorney occupation tax; has met Minimum Continuing Legal Education requirements; and is not presently under either administrative or disciplinary suspension.

No previous disciplinary sanctions have been entered against Ms. Szak's law license.

Sincerely,

  
John A. Neal  
Chief Disciplinary Counsel

JN/ss



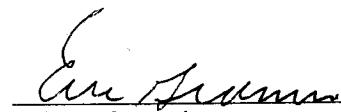
AFFIRMATION OF SERVICE

I, Eric J. Grannis, hereby affirm that I am a member of the Bar of this Court and that on December 12, 2007, I served by email a copy of the attached document upon:

Robert Herbst  
Bedlock Levine & Hoffman LLP

Michael Malloy  
Finestein & Malloy LLC

Richard Maltz  
Frankfurt Kurnit Klein & Selz PC



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Eric J. Grannis